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In re Application of

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DECISION ON PETITION

TO WITHDRAW

FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b), filed June 29, 2006.

The request is **NOT APPROVED**.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must be signed by every attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

The request to withdraw less than all attorneys appointed by customer number 26288 cannot be approved. The addition and/or deletion of a practitioner from the list of practitioners associated with a Customer Number should be made by submitting a "Request for Customer Number Data Change" (PTO/SB/124) which will result in the addition or deletion of such practitioner from the list of persons authorized to represent any applicant or assignee of the entire interest who appointed all of the practitioners associated with such Customer Number. See MPEP 403 Section I. Customer Number Practice. The correspondence address of record remains unchanged.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Monica A. Graves at 571-272-7253.

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